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PETITION FOR RULEMAKING TO ADOPT REVISED COMPETITIVE SWITCHING RULES

THE AMERICAN CHEMISTRY COUNCIL NOTICE OF INTENT TO PARTICIPATE IN PUBLIC HEARING

The American Chemistry Council ("ACC"), in response to the Board's August 13, 2013 decision in the above-captioned proceeding, hereby provides notice of its intent to participate in this public hearing on October 22, 2013. ACC has not yet determined who will be able to represent it at the hearing, but will inform the Board promptly upon making such determination. ACC requests 10 minutes to address the importance of competitive switching to the chemical industry.

Respectfully submitted,

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